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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL	Application Number	10/016,506
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. NOTE: Request for Continued Examination practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design patent application.		

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 a. <input type="checkbox"/> Previously submitted i. <input type="checkbox"/> Consider the Amendment(s)/Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on ____ (Any unentered Amendment(s) referred to above will be entered). ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ____ iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Other: ____ b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enclosed i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply; ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s); iii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS); and/or iv. <input type="checkbox"/> Other: ____
2. Miscellaneous a. <input type="checkbox"/> Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of ____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(l) required) b. <input type="checkbox"/> Other: ____
3. Petition For Extension of Time A Petition to Extend the life of the present application to at least to the date hereof: a. <input type="checkbox"/> is not necessary. b. <input type="checkbox"/> was previously filed on ____. c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is being concurrently filed in this application. (The fee for this petition is itemized below)
4. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required when the RCE is filed. a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-0558. i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RCE fee of \$790.00 required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) ii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension of time fee of \$450.00 required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17 iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Other: ____ b. <input type="checkbox"/> Check in the amount of \$ ____ enclosed, check no. ____.

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